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PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/ assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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ULYANOVSK ARMY DEPOT SOUTHWEST (54-17N 048-21E)

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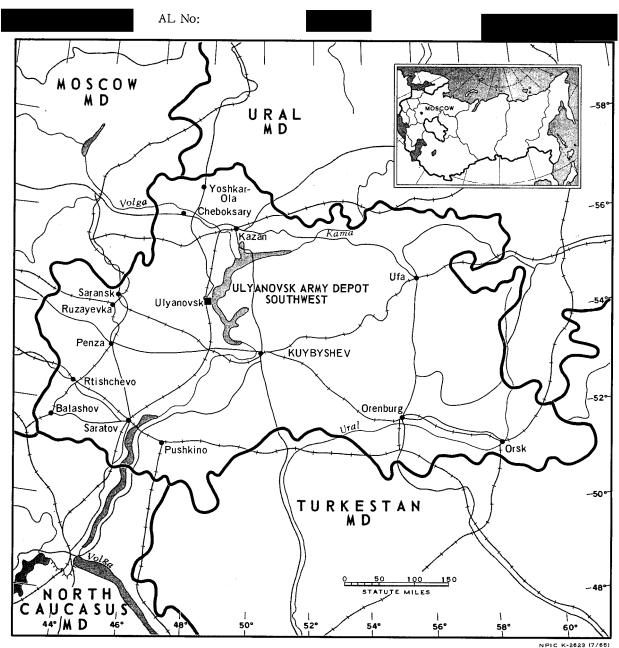


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF ULYANOVSK ARMY DEPOT SOUTHWEST.

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FIGURE 2. ULYANOVSK ARMY DEPOT SOUTHWEST, ULYANOVSK, USSR

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SUMMARY

The Ulyanovsk Army Depot Southwest is located near the southeast edge of Ulyanovsk, and 6 kilometers (km) southwest of the Ulyanovsk Railroad Bridge over the Don River (Figure 1). The installation occupies about 160 acres and contains 23 warehouses, 7 general storage buildings, 3 possible barracks, 2 probable administration buildings, 11 probable dependents quarters, and 37 miscellaneous support buildings (Figures 2 and 3).

KEYHOLE missions covered the area from No significant No significant changes in storage facilities were observed, but 2 of the possible barracks were constructed after Comparison with World War II photography shows that the installation was present and active during World War II, and that 6 major buildings have been erected in the storage area since that time.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Railroad yards are adjacent to the installation. Three spurs serve the warehouse area.

Road Service

City streets provide road service.

Aircraft Landing Strip

Ulyanovsk Southwest Airfield is approximately 7 km west of the installation.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 2 probable administration buildings, 3 possible barracks, 11 residences, and 12 miscellaneous support buildings.

General Storage Areas

Area El contains I probable storage building

with a factory-type roof, 23 warehouses (18 rail-served and 5 road-served), and 13 miscellaneous support buildings.

Area E2 contains 6 general storage and 2 miscellaneous support buildings.

POL Storage Area

Two POL tanks are in a secured area approximately 1 km west-southwest.

Other Buildings

Area H is a rectangular walled area containing a pond.

Athletic Field

Area K is an athletic field.

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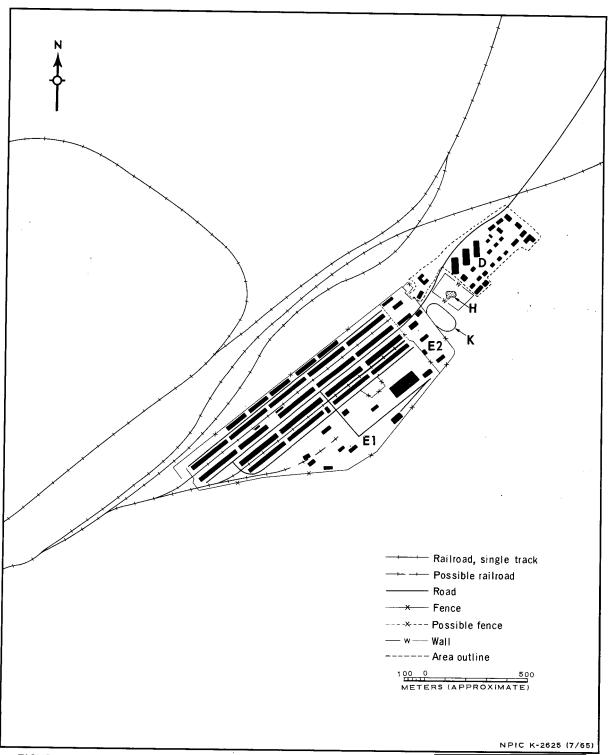


FIGURE 3. ULYANOVSK ARMY DEPOT SOUTHWEST. Sketch compiled from

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